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The Markets in Culemborg. In 1318, Lord Jan van Beusichem gave the people of Culemborg City—as well as Market Rights. Culemborg developed from that time onwards into an important trading city with a popular weekly Market and three annual Trade Fairs, which are still taking place these days. In the centre background the picturesque, historic Town Hall. More on pages 24-25.

# Social functions calendar & Clubhouse contacts

**The following upcoming Neerlandia Functions and Events will be organised by Neerlandia at the Rhein Donau Club in Myaree.**

***Important:*** The entries below are an indication only of what events are planned during the coming months.

For up-to-date accurate information, ***always*** refer to the larger advertisements inside this magazine or contact the appropriate person as displayed on page 27.

## **FEBRUARY:**

Wed 3,10,17,24	<b><u>"Wednesday Card Club"</u></b> (Additional details on page 27)	10am
Thurs 4,18	<b><u>"Neerlandia Senior's Club"</u></b> (formerly known as the DJVV)	10.00am
Thurs 4,11,18,25	<b><u>"Thursday Night Card Club"</u></b> (Additional details on page 27)	8pm
Sunday 7	<b><u>"Sunday Drive"</u></b> (Additional details on page 23)	11am
Sunday 7	<b><u>"Kid's Carnaval-RDC &amp; Neerlandia"</u></b> (Additional details on page 8)	
Wed 10,24	<b><u>"Wednesday Bingo"</u></b> (Additional details on page 9)	11am
Fri 26	<b><u>"Maas &amp; Waal Borrel"</u></b> (formerly End of Month Drinks) (Additional details on page 6)	5.30pm

## **MARCH**

Wed 2,9,16,23,30	<b><u>"Wednesday Card Club"</u></b>	10am
Thurs 3,17,31	<b><u>"Neerlandia Senior's Club"</u></b> (formerly the DJVV)	10.00am
Thurs 3,10,17,24,31	<b><u>"Thursday Night Card Club"</u></b> (Additional details on page 27)	8pm
Sunday 6	<b><u>"Sunday Drive"</u></b> (Additional detail on page 23)	11am
Wed 9,23	<b><u>"Wednesday Bingo"</u></b> (Additional details on page 9)	11am
Sat 12	<b><u>"Family Easter Activity"</u></b> (Karl's Bar and Sports Hall)	3-5pm
Fri 18	<b><u>"Maas &amp; Waal Borrel"</u></b> (Additional details on page 6)	5.30pm

***Note:***

***As Good Friday falls on the 25th of March, the Maas and Waal Borrel Event will be held on the 18th of March.***

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# President's report



## President's Report.

On behalf of the Neerlandia Committee, I would like to wish all our members and readers of the Neerlandia Magazine, a prosperous and a healthy new year. May 2016 be good to all of us and to our

loved ones.

On 13 December we enjoyed another beautifully presented Christmas Variety Show, a seasonal concert delivered by the talented Dutch Singers. As per every year, this concert was the last function for the year and so, at the end of the show, the club closed down its activities for 2015.

Well, not really.

The following day, Tony (Vice-President) and I got to the club at 8am to start what was easily called the mammoth task of clearing out the Neerlandia Clubhouse. For weeks, in our minds, we had worked out how to go about things. The logistics of clearing out the clubhouse were rather complex. The memorabilia that we are taking to our new clubhouse, were carefully put aside. The items that we will use for our functions at the Rhein Donau Clubhouse were packed and labelled; all items collected over 47 years were to be sold, proceeds going to Neerlandia.

That was the plan and that is how we did it. Around coffee time the ladies of the Neerlandia Seniors' Club (formerly known as De Jeugd Van Vroege) and the Wednesday Card Club joined us to sort out their bits and pieces and it was truly astonishing to see what they found in their cupboards.

Neerlandia Committee Members Henk & Nelly arrived soon after that to start packing the glasses from the two bars - a task that took them most of Monday, followed by another full day of packing on Tuesday by Henk on his own.

As a result of that hard work, all the glasses were moved to the Rhein Donau Club for mutual use by Rhein Donau Club Members and Neerlandia's.

At one o'clock that same Monday, as agreed, Charlie, Aart, Mike & Rick arrived to give Tony a hand with taking down the Windmill, which will get a prominent spot in the foyer of the Rhein Donau Clubhouse, providing it fits. Once the windmill had been taken down, it appeared to be a lot bigger than where it had been for many years: High on a shelf, overlooking the goings-on in the main hall.

Wes (Dutch Singers) meanwhile, occupied himself with taking down the curtains that the Choir will use for decoration purposes in their new practice room.

Mike, our IT- and computer consultant, spent a good few hours in the office to secure the contents of- and to dismantle the computer as we did not want to sell the computer with the hard drive on it. The Privacy Act could have been breached if we had not removed the hard disc from the computer.

It was hard yakka that Monday as we had to get everything that was up for sale, ready for the following day 10am, but thanks to the assistance of a few members, we managed.

The following two days were the days that we expected our members to come in droves to the club to obtain Neerlandia memorabilia. We were very busy during the first three hours of the Tuesday and then it became very quiet and it stayed quiet. This is something that surprised us as over the months our members had been really concerned about the memorabilia.

Meanwhile we managed to get everything packed that we wanted to take with us.

After all that we started our Christmas break.

So what's next?

At the time of writing this article, I can tell you that in the middle of January we are expecting the skip to be delivered so that we can clean out those items that did not sell and that are of no value in our new clubhouse.

Once the clubhouse has been emptied, Tony and helpers will move the selected items from 230 Cambridge Street in Wembley to 110 Northlake Road.

Simultaneously, representatives of the Neerlandia Committee will meet up again with representatives of the Rhein Donau Committee in order to run through procedures.

On 25 January, the Executive Committee Members of the Neerlandia sub-clubs will meet at the Rhein Donau Clubhouse to be inducted and to be given keys for ready access to the building.

Eventually, on 3 February, the Wednesday Card Club will meet at the Rhein Donau Club and that will mark the official start of the New Year in the

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new clubhouse.

Obviously everyone is a bit nervous and a bit apprehensive, yet we all know that after the first few hiccups that will probably last a few weeks, we will all settle in nicely to enjoy the new premises.

Meanwhile, after a few lukewarm attempts, we have received a serious interest in our building. The interested party is currently finding out if development plans will be granted. This process can take up to seven months, a period required to secure Development Approval and other necessary approvals like Environmental, for the number of apartments and offices the builder plans to build.

Until such times all we can do is wait and hope that indeed the plans will be approved.

In the interest of the progress of the negotiations, we are unable to disclose more details at this moment. However, Neerlandia Members will be notified when progress occurs.

All progress will be reported in the President's Report, which will be the only reliable source of information.

So here we are, on the threshold of a new era. As I said earlier, we are not there yet, but with good will and good spirit, we will work ourselves through the obstacles that we will undoubtedly come across. With a positive attitude and "kameraadschap" we are facing another exciting and new chapter in Neerlandia's long history. Je maintiendrai!

**Lianna Parker,  
President.**

### **Sint Nicolaasfeest at Neerlandia.**

This year the Neerlandia Sint Nicolaas celebrations were held on Sunday 29 November.



It was once again a terrific celebration. Doors opened at midday to give parents and children the opportunity to have a Dutch lunch before the ever popular Mr Sparkles, the Magician, started his show. This was the 3rd consecutive

year that Mr Sparkles entertained the children (and parents) with his engaging stories and his magic. When the children returned to the hall, some of them noticed one of the three Zwarte Pieten on the verandah. Zwarte Piet was clearly testing the water, which was the right moment for the kids to start Sint Nicolaas liedjes. Everyone had been handed the lyrics of the most traditional songs, so that we were all able to sing and welcome Sint Nicolaas, when he entered the hall.

Once Sint Nicolaas sat down on his official throne, he could start handing out presents to all 72 children, whose faces were full of expectation and awe.

The Zwarte Pieten were occupied with handing out pepernoten, assisting St Nick and with chatting to the kids.

When all the children had received their gifts, Sint Nicolaas visited the kitchen staff, who had cooked kroketjes, bitterballen and patat during the afternoon.



### **Chloe, Aiden and Nikita meet Sint Nicolaas and his colourful Zwarte Pieten.**

After Sint Nicolaas had departed, grandparents, parents, children and committee members danced the time away.

Every one left with a smile on their faces.

By 5pm the committee members locked the building to go home.



Another truly successful Sint Nicolaasfeest. In 2016, Neerlandia will celebrate Sint Nicolaas on Sunday 27 November - make sure you'll join us!

## De KookHoek.

Discover Holland's best kept secret: Its food! Our cuisine is not well known, but nonetheless exciting, flavourful and full of history. The Dutch Table is the most extensive online resource for traditional Dutch food recipes and it is growing weekly. Become a Follower, and like the page on Facebook for additional updates, discussions or exciting food news!

## Salades.

It's summer in Perth Australia!!!

Hot weather and even some sunburnt skins. When the sun's out in Holland, you never know how long it's going to last. If they can, people will drop anything they had planned and head out to the parks, the beaches or their own backyards and balconies to make the most of the sunshine.

But here in Perth the sunny days go on and on. However, the last thing you want to do in such a case is to spend hours in the kitchen, preparing a meal.

Today's dish, Huzarensalade, is a perfect dish to serve on a hot day and it uses up any leftovers you may have laying around the fridge.

It only needs the minimum of attention and work, but it will be a welcome sight on your table.

Huzarensalade, or Hussar's salad, was supposedly invented by the Hussars, a light cavalry regiment. As their tactic was to be inconspicuous and since they were always on the go, they would not build fires to cook their food but chop up whatever they had and mixed them together: A boiled potato, a

piece of meat, some pickles and created this cold salad, perfect for leftovers.

Whether the story is true or not, is almost irrelevant: The end result is a tasty, filling and refreshing dish with a minimum of effort!

Preferably use leftover veggies for this salad.

If you don't have any leftover roast, ham or cold steak, simmer some beef the evening before. Depending on the cut of meat, this can take up to two hours: Just let it simmer on low heat until tender. If you simmer the beef with some carrots, celery and onion, you can use the remaining broth for a light, flavourful groentesoep.

## Huzarensalade.

### Ingredients:

500 gr beef, cooked (ham, spam or cold steak)  
2 large potatoes, boiled  
1 small sweet onion  
8 medium dill pickles  
1 red apple  
1 small can of peas and carrots (if you don't have leftover vegetables)  
4 tablespoons mayonnaise  
2 tablespoons dill pickle juice

### For the garnish:

Boiled eggs  
Mayonnaise  
Cocktail onions  
Tomatoes  
Paprika

Cut the beef and potatoes in small cubes. Chop the sweet onion and pickles. Peel the apple (or not, as you please), core it and cut it in small cubes.

Drain the liquid from the peas and carrots and mix everything together with the mayonnaise and the dill pickle juice. Taste and adjust if needed.

Rest the salad overnight. The next day, put the salad on a big plate, (a few lettuce leaves underneath adds to the appeal) cover lightly with mayonnaise and decorate with garnish, sprinkle with the paprika and other spices you may want to use.

Serve it with buttered toast and a smile, you can now enjoy the rest of the day without anybody going hungry!

Source: (Met toestemming van) Nicole Holten, The Dutch Table: <http://www.thedutchtable.com>



# November End of Month Drinks

## November End of Month Drinks.

As the November End of Month Drinks was the last one in our own building, we expected a lot of patrons and we were not disappointed.

Around 150 members, non-members and their friends visited the clubhouse for the last time to have a drink, a chat and traditional Dutch finger food together.

The mood was on one of mixed feelings: Sadness as this was the end of an era and excitement about the move to the new premises.



At 8pm the music was turned down and kitchen staff, Gerry & Louis, Anne & Co and Dora were invited to the stage as well as Freda from our shop.

Lianna thanked them all for their ceaseless efforts to keep the End of Month Drinks going - without them there would not have been the supply of food, nor would there have been a shop. While the patrons applauded and wolf whistled, all involved were treated with a vase filled with a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

This was followed by the announcement that as of February 2016, the End of Month Drinks will be known as the "Maas & Waal Borrel".

Lianna explained that the Rhein Donau Club is named after the two major rivers in Germany. To identify Neerlandia's monthly drinks party, it was thought a good idea to rename that function after the two major Dutch rivers, the Maas and the Waal, with a knowing wink to Dutch troubadour Boudewijn de Groot. (<http://www.songteksten.nl/songteksten/6840/boudewijn-de-groot/land-van-maas-en-waal.htm>)

The name change was received with roaring applause.

This name change not only identifies the drinks or "borrel" as a Dutch initiative, it also gives the organizers the flexibility to change the date of the event to a more suitable Friday than only the last one of the month. In 2015 End of Month Drinks suffered from 5 long weekends. In future, if more convenient for the patrons, the Maas & Waal Borrel may change its date for any particular month.

The first time that this will happen is in March, when the last Friday of the month is Good Friday.

Consequently, the March "Maas & Waal Borrel" will be held on Friday 18 March, at the usual time from 5.30 pm to 9.00pm at the Rhein Donau Clubhouse, at 110 North Lake in Myaree.

Whatever the name, whatever the date - join us when you can, we are at the start of something really good; make sure that you are a part of it.

**Lianna**



**Maas & Waal Borrel, wat een leuke naam!**



**Het Biljard is net zo goed als de bar.**



## November End of Month Drinks



**Wij hebben honger en wij krijgen niets te eten!**



**H'm, ik had ook wel een broodje kroket gelust!**



**Mam, mogen wij ook meespelen?**



**Ondanks de drukte zijn er toch rustige hoekjes.**



**Je word wel vrolijk van al die pilsjes!**



**Say cheese!**







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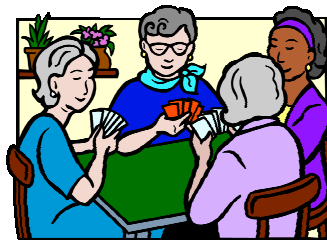
## Card Club Neerlandia !!!Players wanted!!!

**The card Club has moved from Wembley to the Rhein Donau Club situated in North Lake Road Myaree.**

Players meet every Thursday evening from 7.30 onwards, initially for a chat with a coffee or a drink from the bar.

The various games that are played are Klaverjassen, Jokeren and Bolivia and actual play starts at 8pm.

Players that are interested, just come along or contact the following for more information:  
Murray Koedijk on: 9337 6923





# Bingo at the Rhein Donau Club



## B I N G O - WEDNESDAY - B I N G O

Day games only: 10th and 24th of February  
9th and 23rd of March

Games start at 11am - Doors open at 10am

Bingo games are a great way to relax and to catch up  
with other people and they all like to win some money!!



Cost of sandwich lunch is \$7.50, coffee/tea provided, self help.

**SO JOIN US FOR THIS NEW BEGINNING AT A NEW LOCATION IN  
MYAREE TO PLAY BINGO, WIN AND HAVE FUN ALL AROUND!!!!**



### Bingo Game on Thursday 26th November.

11 players enjoyed each others company while playing Bingo and having a lot of fun and the winnings were very welcome.



### Bingo Game on Tuesday 8th December.

With 10 players on the final game of the year, including 2 senior gentlemen, who witnessed the winning of the **JACKPOT**.

## B I N G O B U L L E T I N *From your friendly Bingo organisers.*

Yes, the **JACKPOT** has been won on Tuesday the 8th of December and **Nellie Stapelbroek** was the lucky winner. Including the jackpot, which was a whopping **\$50**, she walked away with a total of **\$67.50**. The 2 senior gentlemen, **Ben Stoffels** and **Henk Uyen**, who graced us with their presence, really enjoyed their game of Bingo.

With the move to the new location in Mayree, in the Rhein-Donau Clubhouse, we are also moving in a new direction of playing Bingo. Instead of playing a total of 12 Bingo games, we have changed our game plan to a total 10 games, deleting the flyer games from the program. The purchase price of the 10 game book amounts to \$18 while the prize money remains about the same as before.

On the first game on the 10th of February we will start a **NEW JACKPOT** of **\$25** and every time we have at least 15 people attending the Bingo, a **FURTHER \$25** will be added to the Jackpot.

Additional to that, when there are at least 15 people playing Bingo, **ONE WILL BE PLAYING FOR FREE!!!!!!**

**SO JOIN US IN PLAYING BINGO IN MYAREE AND SHARE IN THE FUN!!!!!!**

**Henk Oorschot and Louis James.**

**Information: Henk Oorschot 9256 1977**





# The Dutch Singers Christmas Variety Concert 2015

## Christmas Variety Concert.

The last Christmas Variety Concert at the Neerlandia Club by The Dutch Singers was warmly received and it was a complete sell-out this year.

The hard work by the choir and Hazel Potts, the choir's musical director & pianist, certainly helped to make it the best show yet.

The M.C., Ron Willson took the choir on a musical journey.

The first half included a variety of international songs.

Again, this year's show featured some very talented young people.

Violinist Harvey, from Churchlands Senior High School, played "*The Blue Danube*", which showed his masterful touch on his instrument plus the **choir's** interaction, to the point that during interval people could be heard still humming 'Danube', even in the toilets!

John Aufdemkampe's grandson Cameron played piano & sang the rousing version of the

Oasis song "*Wonderwall*".

Hazel's grandson Andrew played percussion during several songs with an outstanding lively performance on his special **Conga** drums during the singing of the Caribbean version of "*Halle, Halle, Halleluia*".

The 2<sup>nd</sup> half opened with a soulful rendition of the "*Alleluia*" followed with a collection of lovely Christmas songs, in various languages.

The show concluded with Hazel's special & beautiful arrangement of "*Silent Night*".

The Neerlandia President, Lianna Parker, thanked everyone for attending this final event at the beloved Clubhouse.

The Dutch Singers then presented a \$1,353 cheque, their proceeds from the show, to Lianna Parker for Neerlandia. They also presented a \$500 cheque to the Dutch Radio.

The Dutch Singers have now moved to their new rehearsal facility in the Morley Windmills Sports Club in Embleton.

New members are always welcome on a Saturday morning from **9.30 to 11.30**.





# Members' Statistics

The following Members will celebrate their birthday during the month of February 2016. We wish them all a very **Happy Birthday!**



Helma	Kleyne
John	Pericles
Marina	Bull
Adeline	van Dijk
Karel	Nissen
Hazel	Potts
Harald	Chudziak
Nonja	Peters
Jody	Haze
Elly	Schenkelaars
Darren	Taylor
Alida	Reitzenstein
Debby	Goetschalckx
Annegret	Renk-Kotzee
Eddy	Michielsen
Henk	Broerse
John	van Dijk
Melanie	Verheggen
Chris	Michielsen
Paul	De Jong
Jenny	Kievit
Thijs	Gorter
Joke	Loverly
Antonia	Bazen
Tinie	Deugd
Wilna	Cornelisse



If your birthday is not mentioned or the details are not correct, this means that we have the incorrect data entered in our membership database. Or you may wish that your birthday is not mentioned at all.

To make changes to the above you need to send an e-mail to the following:

**Membership Administration**

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**Lisa Liebregts  
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Willy Zee  
Tom Christensen  
Ben Lamers  
Linda Haanskorf-de Jongh  
Robert Haanskorf  
Yvonne Wortelboer**

## IN LOVING MEMORY

Passed away on the 11th of December 2015

### **Rinus van den Ende**

Our sincere condolences to Tinie,  
from the Neerlandia Card Club  
The Sunday Drive  
and the Dutch Society Neerlandia

Passed away on the 14th of December 2015

### **Bert Timmermans**

Our sincere condolences to his family  
from the Members of the Neerlandia and  
Wednesday Card Clubs  
and the Dutch Society Neerlandia

Passed away on the 5th of January 2016

### **Erica Glorie**

Our sincere condolences to her family,  
from the Wednesday Card Club  
The Sunday Drive  
and the Dutch Society Neerlandia



**May They Rest in Peace.**

# Rhein Donau Club Information and Events

## Useful information about the Rhein Donau Club.

The Rhein-Donau Club was established 1958 and has been operational in Perth since 1959 at its present premises in Myaree.

The club has been established with its prime objective to provide a facility for people from Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Dutch and other Europeans and residents from Western Australia, who enjoy the culture, music, culinary delights and customs of countries embraced by the two major rivers of Europe; namely Rhine and Danube.

The Rhein-Donau Club is a non-profit, non-denominational and non-political organisation and is operated by volunteers. All money raised are channelled to the maintenance and improvements of the Club facilities, promotion of educational and cultural activities and assist the care of aging club members.



## Welcome to the Rhein-Donau Club!

- We hold regular Saturday night dances with a live band from 6:30pm to midnight.
- German Cuisine and drinks.
- The Club operates a number of very active cultural and sporting groups.
- We hire out our facilities for your private parties, conventions or meetings.
- We hold Oktoberfest every Friday and Saturday in October .

## Social events planned for February – March at the Rhein Donau Club.

Friday	5 February	Motown--DJ
Saturday	6 February	Karneval--Step Back
Sunday	7 February	Childrens Karneval--Step Back (Neerlandia & RDC)
Friday	12 February	Beer Garden--DJ
Saturday	13 February	Valentines Dance--Alpen Duo
Friday	19 February	
Saturday	20 February	Club Dance--Aerotec
<b>Friday</b>	<b>26 February</b>	<b>Maas &amp; Waal Borrel-Neerlandia</b>
Saturday	27 February	Club Dance--Eurasia
Friday	4 March	Motown--DJ
Saturday	5 March	Sing-a-long-Choir-Step Back
Friday	11 March	Beer Garden--DJ
Saturday	12 March	Club Dance--Alpen Duo
Sunday	13 March	RDC Open Day--Alpen Duo
<b>Friday</b>	<b>18 March</b>	<b>Maas &amp; Waal Borrel-Neerlandia-</b>
Saturday	19 March	Schutzenfest-Air Rifle-Aerotec
Friday	25 March	Good Friday - Club closed--
Saturday	26 March	Easter Dance-Theatre-West Coast Rhythm

*Apart from the events mentioned, the clubhouse is open for drinks and meals at the following times:*

### Bar:

Tue, Wed, Friday	from 6.30 – 11.00pm
Saturday	from 6.30 – midnight
Sunday	from 5.30 – 8.30pm

### Restaurant:

Wed and Friday	from 6.00 – 9.00pm
Saturday	from 6.30 – 10.30pm
Sunday	from 6.00 – 8.00pm

*The Bar and Restaurant are closed on Mondays and Thursdays.*

**For more information on the Rhein Donau Club and the Restaurant menu visit:**

**<http://www.rheindonaclub.iinet.net.au/>**

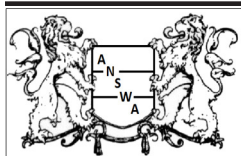


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### WELCOME TO 2016 FROM ANSWA

Gelukkig Nieuwjaar to friends and followers of the Dirk Hartog 400th Anniversary Committee Facebook site.

We wish you the best and welcome you to take part in what is the 400th year since Hartog arrived in Western Australia and left a record of his historic visit at Shark Bay.

We look forward to telling you about the many exciting events being held in 2016, beginning with the imminent launch of a new Western Australian Museum website commemorating Hartog's legacy. Members of the committee are involved in a number of activities, which include the WA Museum, State Library of Western Australia, Curtin University, Murdoch University, The University of Western Australia, The National Archives, Art Gallery of Western Australia, Curtin Art Gallery (Curtin University), Lawrence Wilson Art Gallery (The University of WA), and the Dutch community.

WA's replica ship *Duyfken* will be getting a much-needed makeover and will set sail for Cape Inscription in October, the 400th anniversary of Hartog's arrival at Shark Bay.

In Perth, Curtin University will host an Orange Day on October 16, 2016. Expect a big bike ride into Curtin that Sunday. A book, 'The Dutch in the Western Third' will be launched this year. The exhibition, 'Dutch Diaspora: Orphans of the Dutch East India Company in Australia, South Africa, Namibia and Indonesia' will be shown at the WA Museum Geraldton, Bloemfontein Africa, National



Colleague Geert Snoeijer – working on the Dutch Diaspora Project “Orphans of the Dutch East India Company” outside the VOC House Amsterdam.

Gallery Indonesia and West Frisian Museum Hoorn Netherlands.

Murdoch University will host the 7th International Maritime Economic History Association (IMEHA) Congress from 27 June until 1 July 2016. The theme for the conference is *"Old Worlds, New Worlds? Emerging themes in maritime history"*.

In November, the Sixth International Congress on Underwater Archaeology (IKUWA6) will be hosted by the WA Maritime Museum in Fremantle, under UNESCO's patronage. This is the first time IKUWA is held outside Europe from November 28 to December 2.

The year 2016 also marks the bicentennial of the wrecking of the Spanish-built, Portuguese-owned *Correio da Azia*, which sailed from Lisbon to China and wrecked on Ningaloo Reef November 26. This is an important 'Celebrating Our Shared Heritage' event between Australia, Portugal and Spain, with Portuguese and Spanish navigators believed to have visited the great southern continent before the Dutch arrived.

The committee is also excited about the prospect of having on display in Perth the original pewter plate left by Hartog at Cape Inscription. Stay posted for further updates.



**Replica of the pewter plate left behind by Dirk Hartog. (translated in English)**

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**Very early Perth as seen from Kings Park. No Freeways nor Narrows Bridge.**



### Proposed plans for the GPO on Forrest Place in the centre of Perth.



## DUTCH COMMUNITY RADIO INC. BROADCASTING ON 95.3FM - 6EBA

Welcome to 2016. At the time of writing this article, I am spending some quality weeks with family and friends in the Netherlands. With my sister's connections in the "Haagse Popsceen", I was fortunate to meet Bojoura and her husband Hans Cleuver, a founding member of "Focus" and Jerney Kaagman from "Earth and Fire".

Another enjoyable day was a drum workshop with Cesar Zuiderwijk. This will all be reflected in the End of the Month program in March this year.

In our last newsletter we wrote again about our deep concern in regards to the future of the DCR. Fortunately our sponsors, the Dutch Butcher and the Indian Ocean Hotel

stood by us for which we are deeply appreciative. We are also very grateful for the very generous donation we received from the Dutch Singers after their Christmas concert. This donation will keep us on air for a few more months.

During 2015 our team of volunteers consisted out of the following hardworking members:

**Panel Operators:** Harry Crijns, Peter van der Wedden; Robert Wegman and Karin Eastwood.

**Announcers:** Bettina Tonkin; Helga Carbone; Karin Eastwood; Margaret Baltes; Freek Bijlsma and Theo van de Peppel.

Although Harry and Margaret cannot dedicate much time at the moment, both have agreed to be available when we are in need of assistance in the studio. Furthermore, Vera Horsten will also be able to find some time to present some broadcasts, which is very welcome news. And we have a brand new presenter, with a magnificent voice, His name is Manuel Sessink, it is a delight to listen to him.

During the last broadcast of the year we had a quiz with some fantastic prizes kindly donated by John Ottes, the Dutch Butcher. The question, where is the Dutch Butcher located, was answered correctly by many who all called to the studio. Just before the end of the program three lucky winners were drawn.

And the winners are:

Dora van der List	a breakfast for 4
Elly Spillekom	a rollade
Louis Marcus	a rollade

Congratulations to all and a big thank-you to John for helping us bringing an exciting program.

In closing, we again plead to you; our friends and listeners, to please help keeping the DCR and the culture heritage the programs bring to you.

If the DCR has to stop broadcasting, there will be no alternative Dutch language program to replace the void. All it takes, is a donation of \$10, or more, from you to have 52 fantastic broadcasts on your radio for the next year from the DCR.

Information, on how to make a contribution, you will find at the bottom of this page. Your kind gift will be very much appreciated.

Let us hope we can provide you with our music for a long time to come.

From a very slippery, icy Holland.

**Karin.**



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## More Klaverjas results

### Results of the Sunday Klaverjas Drive held on the 6st of December 2015.

On Sunday the 6th of December we not only organised the very last Sunday Klaverjas Drive of the year 2015, but also the very last time we were able to use the Neerlandia Clubhouse. In 2016 all the Sunday Drives will take place in the Rhein Donau Club, situated in North Lake Road, Myaree.

The first players started to arrive about 10am and socialised while enjoying a cup of coffee with piece of "Kerstkrans, baked by Thea and Tilly.

As there were 20 players, we had 5 playing group.

After a fierce competition the score cards were checked and the winners were announced.

Once more the ladies went home with the prizes and the remarkable thing was that Ann Verhoogt won the 2nd prize for the 2 months in a row. Well done Ann.

#### Prize Winners:

1<sup>st</sup> prize: Nel van den Aakster 6947 points  
2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Ann Verhoogt 6862 points  
3<sup>rd</sup> prize: Shirley van Kwawegen 6589 points

For those players that just missed out on the prizes, better luck next time.

**The first 2 Klaverjas Drives of 2016 will be held on the 7th of February and the 6th of March at the Rhein Donau Club, North Lake Road, Myaree.**

We look forward to see you all again over there.

**Gerry Creemers,  
Organiser.**



**The Winners: (l.t.r.) Nel van den Aakster, 1st prize; Ann Verhoogt, 2nd prize; Shirley van Kwawegen 3rd prize.**

### Wednesday Card Club results.

Hereby the results of the last competition of 2015 organised by the Wednesday Card Club.

1 <sup>st</sup> prize:	Henk Van Veen	71101 points
		\$25.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> prize:	Con Van Den Putten	69066 points
		\$15.00.
3 <sup>rd</sup> prize:	Freda Hovingh	66478 points
		\$10.00.
Marsen prize:	Bart Stryke	27 marsen
		\$10.00.

We hope to see every one back next year at the Rhein Donau Club.

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# News from the Neerlandia Card Club

## CARD CLUB NEERLANDIA

Our third competition for the year 2015 ended on the 4<sup>th</sup> December and the results were made known at our Christmas break-up on the 10<sup>th</sup> December.

It has been an interesting competition for the Klaverjassers. Right from Week 1 the three winners Peter Segers, Gerard Kluck and Corry van Os alternated as the highest score getters. However, Corry, our oldest member, was number 1 from Week 7 to Week 14. Alas, on Week 15, the last day of the competition, Corry had a bad game and a low score. She still managed to come third, though. Congratulations, Corry on a grand effort. Congratulations also to our club champion Peter Segers, who robbed Corry of first place and Gerard Kluck, who came second. Both Peter and Gerard also had the highest number of Marsen, but as only one prize is awarded to any one player, the Marsen prize went to the runner up, Freda. Congratulations!

The results of the final competition for the year are as follows:

### Klaverjas

1 <sup>st</sup> prize	Peter Segers	71560 points	\$25
2 <sup>nd</sup> prize	Gerard Kluck	70444 points	\$20
3 <sup>rd</sup> prize	Corry van Os	70369 points	\$15
Average	Wilma Mitchell	66338 points	\$10

### Marsen

	Peter Segers	31 marsen	(no prize)
	Gerard Kluck	31 marsen	(no Prize)
Runner up:	Freda Hovingh	30 marsen	\$10

### Bolivia

Weekly Players	Thea Gorter Drawn	\$10
Fortnightly Players	Nellie van de Heyden Drawn	\$10

### Jokeren

Anne Neil	Drawn	\$10
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## ***Congratulations to all the winners!***

As usual, we only played one game on this final night, which sadly was also the final night in our beloved clubhouse. Then, tables pushed together and chairs placed around them, we began the social part of the evening. For this special evening everyone was given two drink vouchers and it was amazing how many 'advocaatjes' appeared on the table. Tony and Pieter, manning the bar, had trouble keeping up as advocaat bottles don't give up their contents easily when cold! Murray announced the competition winners and handed out the prizes. He expressed regret that as a consequence of the Neerlandia membership moving to Myaree, a number of our members will not be joining the Card Club next year. As both the Secretary and Treasurer are resigning the current committee will cease to exist and a new committee will need to be formed. He thanked Alex and Janny for many years of loyal support after which, on behalf of all members, they were presented with a well-filled hamper. Much appreciated by the recipients.

On behalf of the committee, Murray wished all members a Merry Christmas and a Healthy, Happy and Prosperous New Year. He then invited all members to rejoin the Card Club next year at the new venue, the Rhein Donau Club in Myaree, commencing on Thursday the 4<sup>th</sup> February, 2016 at the usual time.

When the evening came to a close, all members were handed their usual Xmas hamper which this year included an extra item of monetary value. Since a number of members are not returning to the Card Club next year, the committee decided to let all members share a major portion of our accumulated funds. This decision was well received by all members.

**Janny Udinga.**



Alex and Janny were presented with a hamper for many years of dedicated Service as Committee Members.



# News from the Neerlandia Card Club





With the change to a new location in Myaree to the Clubhouse of the Rhein Donau Club in 2016, we are entering into a new stage of our club life. At the last event of the Year, our Christmas Party on the 10th of December, it was announced that our name would be as from 2016: **“Neerlandia Seniors Club”**. Anybody who reaches the age of 60 is officially a Senior and therefore we, your Neerlandia Seniors Club Committee Members, hereby invite any Neerlandia Member over the age of 60 to participate in the activities that we are planning to provide in this new year 2016. Details on the next page.

**Thursday 19th November.**



**Thursday 10th December.**



A group photo taken of all the **“Jeugd van Vroegers”** on **Thursday 3rd December**. Everybody received an enlarged copy in colour as a momentum of their days at Neerlandia.



## → Neerlandia Seniors Club (NSC)

The Committee of the Neerlandia Seniors Club wants you to know that we are planning many different activities in Myaree. We envisage some people playing checkers ( Dammen), others playing darts, what about carpet bowls and shuffle board (sjoelbakken) and ofcourse there are two large snooker tables that can be used. What about some board games? Make a suggestion and we promise to take the action to implement it. Herewith some information: The joining and renewing fee of \$6.– is now **ABOLISHED**. The cost of your three course lunch, at this stage, is \$15.– Add to this a fortnightly levy of \$5.–, due whether you are there or not. This entitles you to coffee/biscuits. **Let us continue, what our parents started many years ago, and make them proud!!!!**



**The amazing Christmas Party on the 10th of December in the Wembley Clubhouse.**



## A little bit of Humour

### Touching words from the mouths of children. *What does 'Love' mean?*

A group of 4 to 8 year-olds were asked the above question. Following some of the answers:

'When my grandmother got arthritis, she couldn't bend over and paint her toenails anymore. So my grandfather does it for her all the time, even when his hands got arthritis too. That's love.' Rebecca - age 8

'When someone loves you, the way they say your name is different. You just know that your name is safe in their mouth.' Billy - age 4

'Love is when a girl puts on perfume and a boy puts on shaving cologne and they go out and smell each other.' Karl - age 5

'Love is when you go out to eat and give somebody most of your French fries without making them give you any of theirs.' Chrissie - age 6

'Love is when my mummy makes coffee for my daddy and she takes a sip before giving it to him, to make sure the taste is OK.' Danny - age 7

'Love is when you kiss all the time. Then when you get tired of kissing, you still want to be together and you talk. My Mummy and Daddy are like that. They look gross when they kiss.' Emily - age 8

'If you want to learn to love better, you should start with a friend who you hate,' Nikka - age 6

'Love is when you tell a guy you like his shirt and then he wears it every day.' Noelle - age 7

'Love is like a little old woman and a little old man who are still friends even after they have known each for a long time.' Tommy - age 6

'Love is when Mummy gives Daddy the best piece of chicken.' Elaine - age 5

'Love is when your puppy licks your face even after you left him alone all day.' Mary Ann - age 4

'I know my older sister loves me because she gives me all her old clothes and has to go out with Mum to buy new ones.' Lauren - age 4

You really shouldn't say: 'I love you' unless you mean it. But if you mean it, you should say it a lot. People forget.' Jessica - age 8

### The test results.

"Mrs. Sanders, please."

"Speaking."

"Mrs. Sanders, this is Doctor Jones from the Pathology Laboratory at Stanly.

When your husband's doctor sent his blood sample to the lab last week, a blood sample from another Mr. Sanders arrived at the same time...

We are now uncertain which one belongs to your husband.

Frankly, either way the results are not too good."

"What do you mean?" Mrs. Sanders asks nervously.

"Well, one of the specimens tested positive for Alzheimer's and the other one tested positive for HIV. We can't tell which is which."

"That's dreadful! Can you do the test again?"

questioned Mrs. Sanders.

"Of course we can, but we so are overloaded with work and we are also working to rules, so we have to put both Mr. Sanders on the waiting list to do these tests again."

"Well, what am I supposed to do now?"

"Well our helpdesk recommends that you drop your husband off somewhere in the middle of town.

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### Sunday Klaverjas Drives.

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# The historic city of Culemborg



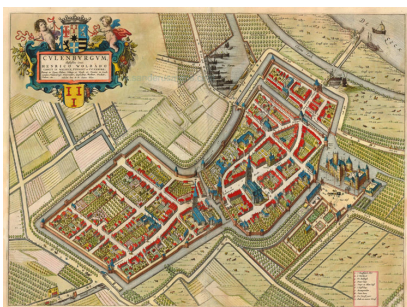
**Culemborg's Flag & Coat of Arms.**

**Culemborg** (formerly also spelled Kuilenburg or Kuylenburgh) is a municipality and a small city in the province of Gelderland. The city is situated close to the Lek River. In 2015 it had 28,00 inhabitants. The nearby cities of Utrecht and 's-Hertogenbosch can easily be reached by train.

## History:

Originally, **Culemborg was a Merchant Village**

situated on the ridge of the rivulet De Meer and the southern bank of the river Lek. In the 12th Century Lord Jan van Beusichem built a small castle next to the village.



In Joan Blaeu's map of 1649, Culemborg was entirely enclosed by city walls and moat-like canals. A moated castle stood outside the city walls. All the houses presented a united front along the streets and two canals cut the city in three sections, but market gardens were plentiful within the city walls.

On "Sente Nycolausdach" (Saint Nicholas' Day) in 1318 the citizens of the settlement received city rights from their Lord, Jan van Bosinchem, which included exemption from taxes on the annual market and the right to grant asylum.

## Culemborg as it was in 1649.

However, this did not mean that anybody was free to settle there. The town had its own jurisdiction.

Whoever committed a crime or misdemeanour had to appear before the Schout en Schepenen (sheriff and bailiffs) and would not escape his due punishment. But they did have the right to defend themselves and as long as they remained within the walls of Culemborg, the accuser was denied entrance to the town. In Amsterdam "to go to Culemborg" meant to go bankrupt.



**The castle of Culemborg, Destroyed in 1672.**

In the 14th Century town ramparts and a moat were built to keep unruly gangs and enemy troops out. Twice the city was expanded beyond the existing ramparts. Around 1370 a shippers' quarter was built to the north, the so-called Havendijk (harbour front) and twenty years later the hamlets Lanxmeer en Parijsch in the south were annexed under the name of Nieuwstad (New Town).

Thus, a kind of "tripartite town" was created. Havendijk and Nieuwstad too were included within the walls.

Between 1639 and 1714 the county fell to the House of Waldeck-Pyrmont and afterwards to the Counts of Van Saxon-Hildburghausen.

The German Lords considered Culemborg a very handy cash cow.

Under their subsequent rule the French destroyed the castle between 1672 and 1674, they pillaged the library and stole part of the town's archives.



**The Binnenpoort. (inside gate)**



**Mansion "The Fonteyn."**



**Remains of the old city wall.**



**Town Hall.**



# The historic city of Culemborg



## Panoramic view of Culemborg from the walkway of the Windmill “De Hoop”.

Due to lack of money Van Saxon-Hildburghausen sold Culemborg with all its extensive rights and domains to the district of Nijmegen for almost one million guilders. After the French occupation, the town became part of the Kingdom of the Netherlands. The House of Oranje Nassau was the last line of counts to rule over Culemborg and that is why the Dutch Queen still holds the additional title of Countess of Culemborg.

### Transport:

Culemborg is served by the Culemborg railway station, which offers trains to Utrecht (city) 4x per hour and 2x per hour to

's-Hertogenbosch and Tiel.

The town owes a lot to the last descendant of the House of Culemborg. Lady Elisabeth founded the Elisabeth hospital, a closed court of Almshouses for old men and women.

She also advanced the money to build the beautiful town hall and the steeple of the St. Jans church.

Her inheritance allowed the Elisabeth Weeshuis (orphanage) to be built. This orphanage now serves as a museum and library.



**Railway Station.**

### Culemborg and Industrialisation:

The construction during the second half of the 19th Century of the railway Utrecht – 's Hertogenbosch (the by now replaced rail bridge was completed in 1868) was an important boost for the industrial development of Culemborg. Especially the cigar and furniture industries grew strongly in those years. These days, our town comprises a wide variety of industries besides the traditional furniture mills.

In 1995, Culemborg was one of the cities which were evacuated because of the risk of flooding.

Compiled from the internet by Piet Leeftang.



**Windmill The Hope.**



**St Barbara Church.**



**Watertower.**

# Codebreaker and Sudoku Puzzles

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## Sudoku Puzzles

The aim of the Sudoku Puzzle is to insert numbers 1-9 in the each row and column, but each 3x3 box must also contain a complete set of numbers 1-9.

### Sudoku - Easy #9

7	4	9			1	3		2
	2		6			4		
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2				8				3
			1				9	
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	3		2		8			
				3		8	1	
	7	8	5	9		2		

### Sudoku - Moderate #9

7		2	6		9			1
	6		1	5				7
	1			8	2	3		
				3		5		8
5			8		7		1	
				2				9
		9		7				
	4	6		1				
		8	5					4

## CODEBREAKER PUZZLE

A **Codebreaker** is a crossword puzzle with no clues! Every letter of the alphabet has been replaced by a number, the same number represents the same letter always.

For this puzzle only the **first three** letters are revealed. Start with entering these letters throughout the puzzle first and then start guessing your first word.

If you are unsure, use a pencil to start, then if it does not work out you can erase and start again.

*The last Codebreaker was not easy but once you found the words "Odd, Needled and Molar", you were well on the way to complete it.*

*The solution of the last month's Codebreaker was:*

A=13; B=4; C=5; D=9; E=18;  
F=11; G=1; H=; I=19; J=7;  
K=14; L=24; M=12; N=16;  
O=2; P=20; Q=3; R=8; S=23;  
T=10; U=15; V=22; W=26;  
X=25; Y=17; Z=21.

### Last month's Easy Sudoku solution

2	9	4	6	1	5	3	7	8
5	3	7	9	2	8	1	4	6
6	8	1	4	3	7	9	2	5
7	6	5	1	4	9	2	8	3
9	1	2	5	8	3	4	6	7
8	4	3	2	7	6	5	9	1
1	2	8	3	6	4	7	5	9
3	5	6	7	9	2	8	1	4
4	7	9	8	5	1	6	3	2

### Last month's Moderate Sudoku solution

6	8	4	7	2	5	9	3	1
7	3	5	1	6	9	8	4	2
9	1	2	3	8	4	5	6	7
2	5	6	4	9	7	3	1	8
8	9	1	2	3	6	4	7	5
3	4	7	5	1	8	2	9	6
1	2	8	6	4	3	7	5	9
4	7	9	8	5	1	6	2	3
5	6	3	9	7	2	1	8	4



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